

Proposed Bill No. 671

General Assembly

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LCO No. 2142

Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by: SEN. HANDLEY, 4th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ANNUAL REPORT SUBMITTED BY THE COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SERVICES TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 17b-9 of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that the Department of Social Services, to the extent permitted under
- 3 state and federal and state confidentiality law, shall require state
- 4 employers with fifty or more employees, to annually provide the
- department with information concerning the number of employees
- 6 and their spouses or dependents, receiving health benefits under
- 7 Medicaid or the state children's health insurance plan, and thereafter
- 8 the Commissioner of Social Services shall compile such information to
- 9 be included with the commissioner's annual report to the General
- 10 Assembly.

Statement of Purpose:

To gather information concerning utilization of state health insurance programs by employees working for an entity that employs fifty or more persons.